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Note verbale dated 26 April 1979 from the Permanent Mission of the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

The representative of the United States of America to the United Nations presents his compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and has the honour to enclose certain registration data concerning objects launched into orbit or beyond by the United States in October and November 1978. This submission is in accordance with article 4 of the 1975 Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space.

REGISTRATION DATA FOR UNITED STATES SPACE LAUNCHES

The following report supplements the registration data for the United States space launches as of 31 October 1978

All launches were made from the territory of the United States unless otherwise specified

International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period	Inclination	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space object
New objects in orbit						
1978-093A	7 Oct	350.5	62.9	10825	86	Spacecraft engaged in investigation of spaceflight techniques and technology
1978-093B	7 Oct	346.4	62.9	19761	165	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1978-096A	13 Oct	102.0	98.9	862	846	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1978-096B	13 Oct	102.0	98.8	861	851	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1978-096C	13 Oct	102.0	98.9	860	853	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1978-098A	24 Oct	104.0	99.3	953	941	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1978-098B	24 Oct	104.1	99.3	953	952	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
The following object not previously reported has been identified since the previous report:						
1977-118D	15 Dec	464.6	28.4	26785	201	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects

The following objects were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 31 October 1978:

1961-OMI-084	1975-004CZ
1961-OMI-131	1975-004DD
1965-082KW	1977-065R
1965-082MK	1977-065DS
1965-082MU	1977-102C
1965-082NW	1978-029A
1969-082GY	1978-079B

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REGISTRATION DATA FOR UNITED STATES SPACE LAUNCHES

The following report supplements the registration data for the United States space launches as of 30 November 1978

All launches were made from the territory of the United States unless otherwise specified

International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period	Inclination	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space object
New objects in orbit						
1978-103A	13 Nov	95.4	23.5	547	526	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1978-103B	13 Nov	92.9	23.4	454	375	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1978-106B	19 Nov	92.1	28.2	582	169	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1978-106C	19 Nov	634.6	27.1	35981	183	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects

The following objects were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 30 November 1978:

1972-058CU	1975-004AX
1972-058EC	1975-004AY
1972-058FB	1975-099C
1975-004S	

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

The following revisions should be made in the report of March 1978:

Item 1978-026B should be listed as:

Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications

Item 1978-026C should be listed as:

Spacecraft engaged in investigation of spaceflight techniques and technology/ spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects